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1. The following is a legend to the sketch included as an appendix to this report:

- (1) Apparently permanent antiaircraft defense positions; six 37 mm. guns; four low brick buildings, one incomplete; the area is surrounded by barbed wire; an artillery guard was at the entrance near the road, and other men were around the buildings;
- (2) About 40 men from the Ministry of Interior were practicing shooting in a prone position under the command of an officer;
- (3) Airfield;
- (4) Barracks for antiaircraft defense personnel (two buildings); eight 76.2 mm. guns, six of which were covered and one around which men were given instruction;
- (5) A two-story building 50 meters in length parallel to the road; behind it, two low buildings 20 to 30 meters long; at the southeastern section of this area hangars and garages for trucks, attended by workers; officers whose branches of service are not known were walking among the buildings;
- (6) Probably barracks for an infantry regiment; the barracks are behind the guard post; and
Probably headquarters of a heavy artillery regiment located behind the guard post; there were men in front of the entrance.

2. The following vehicles were observed at the garrison:

- a. A truck coming from the airfield; 25X1
- b. A fuel truck
- c. A motorcycle

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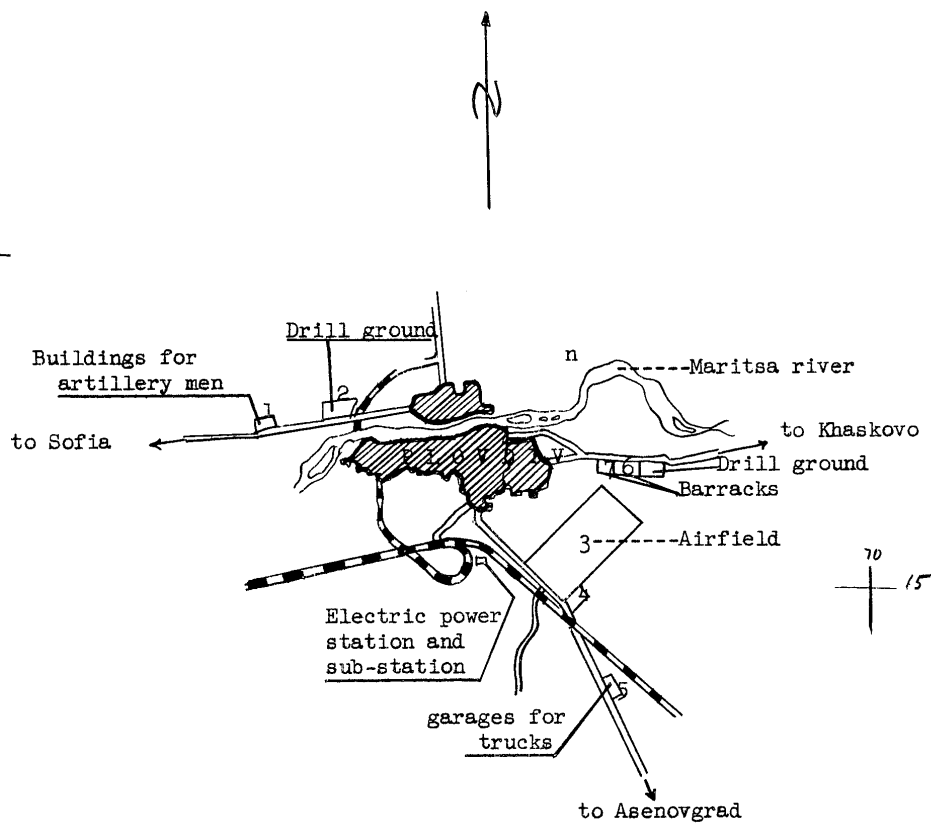
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APPENDIX

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